



## PATENT COOPERATION TREATY

In re application of:

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Seismic Structural Design Associates, Inc. is the owner of the above-identified patent application, pursuant to an Assignment from the owners of record, Clayton J. Allen, James E. Partridge, and Ralph M. Richard, to Seismic Structural Design Associates, Inc. executed on April 25, 2001, April 28, 2001 and May 1, 2001 (the "Assignment"). A copy of the Assignment is attached hereto. A copy of the Assignment has also been filed for recordation with the Assignment Branch.

Seismic Structural Design Associates, Inc. hereby revokes all previous powers of attorney and appoints Kenneth A. Nelson, Reg. No. 48,677, as well as all other practitioners associated with Customer No. 46019 and as its attorneys with full powers of substitution, revocation and association, to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified patent application and any and all continuation, continuation-in-part, continued prosecution, request-for-continued-examination, and divisional applications thereof.


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